

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-09

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAYNE, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE SOUTHEAST FLORIDA REGIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE COMPACT'S SEA LEVEL RISE PROJECTION REPORT; PROVIDING FOR UTILIZATION OF THE REPORT WHERE PRACTICABLE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Village of Key Biscayne ("Village") is experiencing disruption due to climate change through increased intensity and frequency of hurricanes, flooding, water quality issues, and other climatic events; and

WHEREAS, the Southeast Florida Regional Climate Change Compact (the "Compact") recently issued its Unified Sea Level Rise Projection for Southeast Florida Report ("Sea Level Rise Report") to assist local and regional governments in identifying and incorporating climate change resilient construction designs; and

WHEREAS, on June 30, 2020, the Compact's Sea Level Rise Report was presented to the Village Council at a virtual Resiliency Town Hall for its consideration; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council desires that Village staff consider the Sea Level Rise Report when designing and planning resiliency infrastructure improvements where practicable; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council finds that this Resolution is in the best interest and welfare of the residents and property owners of the Village.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAYNE, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. **Recitals.** That each of the above-stated recitals are hereby adopted, confirmed, and incorporated herein.

Section 2. **Accepting Sea Level Rise Report.** That the Village Council hereby accepts the Compact's Sea Level Rise Report.

Section 3. **Utilization of Sea Level Rise Report.** That the Village Council hereby supports the utilization of the Sea Level Rise Report by Village staff where practicable when designing and planning resilient construction and when evaluating zoning code adaptations.

Section 4. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 9th day of February, 2021.

ATTEST:



JOCELYN B. KOCH
VILLAGE CLERK



MICHAEL W. DAVEY, MAYOR



APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



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